

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
Hubert JANSEN et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3761
Application No.: 10/791,869	)	Examiner: WIEST, PHILIP R
Filed: March 4, 2004	)	
For: SELF-SEALING MEDICAL FLUID TRANSFER DEVICE	)	Confirmation No.: 5244

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**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action of December 23, 2009, the period for response having been extended through June 23, 2010 by the petition for a three-month extension of time and fee payment filed herewith, Applicant respectfully requests that the Patent and Trademark Office amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.